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BY SARA G. CHAPA.

It may be that, in the realms of bliss,
We shall be once more united;
That for the sorrow and doubt of this
The face of the future is lighted.
It may that, where angels are,
And their hymns of joy are chanted,
We shall each be crowned with a glorious star,
And the prayer of our souls be granted.

I think sometimes, as we kneel at night,
With the holy hush around us,
That the darkness and gloom are growing bright,
And the chain is snapped that bound us.
There are miles of river, and lake, and plain
Stretched far and wide between us,
But all the torture and all the pain
Of this parting will not demean us.

For, by and by, when each soul is freed
From this cumbrous earthly prison,
The thirst will be quenched, and every need
Will be fed in a field Elysian;
And the gloom which now o'er our pathway lies
Will be turned to a mist of glory,
And up in the beautiful dark blue skies
'Twill be an old, old story.

So let us work with brave, strong heart,
And banish all small repining,
Tho' fate has thrown us so far apart,
My soul is your life divining.
There's another life than the one now ours,
Which waits for the grand endeavor;
Upheld through this by the unseen powers,
There, there we shall love forever.

EMIGRATION FOR CALIFORNIA.—S. B. Axtell, representativein Congress from the San Francisco district, writes to the Call an interesting letter from Washington, in the course of which, after complimenting the House as an able body, sharply characterizing some of the leading members, rejoicing over the impeachment failure, and giving his opinion in favor of specie resumption and a consolidation of the debt, he speaks as follows on the subject of westward emigration:

"You may all stand from under. The people are coming out to see you when the road is finished, you will want two more lines—the Northern and the Southern, and you will have them; and they will be full of business; and in less than twenty years San Francisco will contain a population of 500,000. People here are more excited and interested over your wheat than they were over your gold. They were not a mining people and feared to experiment. They thought the gold would soon be dug out. But they can understand wheat. I was through the west among my old acquaintances, and I could feel the population moving toward the Pacific States. "Now, as the good women say, 'Mark my words.' Population of the right sort, carrying with it sufficient to settle itself to work, not seeking situations, will set in upon you within three years in such numbers as never before flooded any portion of the United States. I have talked with the people; I have occasionally lectured in western villages on California, and I know whereof I speak."

That is a very suggestive paragraph. There is no doubt the agricultural development of the State, and broad publication of the facts relating thereto, is doing more to attract the right kind of population hither than any other thing, and will continue to do more than can ever be done by any self constituted bureau of emigration, however largely aided by State appropriations. Circulate the facts and keep obstacles out of the way of the early completion of the road; that is all California needs to bring people here as fast as it is good for them to come.—[Bulletin.

WADING THE MISSISSIPPI.—We learn that a successful attempt was made yesterday to wade the Mississippi. Two well known citizens having provided themselves with rubber boots strode into the river, on the chain of rapids just above the packet depot, and actually succeeded in accomplishing the hazardous feat. Therefore, let it go forth to the world that in the month of December, 1867, the great river of the nation was successfully waded at this place, an incident that has never before occurred, and it may be long years ere another eager itemizer will clutch his pencil to record a similar occurrence. Weston walked to Chicago from Portland, Maine, and gained great applause, but the "wadists" of Keokuk accomplished a feat in crossing over the rapids of the Mississippi that for novelty and daring eclipses everything Weston has yet done. The Mississippi is shorn of its mighty proportions, and it moves sluggishly along as if feeling the insignificance to which it has fallen. The low water mark of other years will be forgotten—the low water mark of 1867 never.—[Keokuk Paper.

HOW A REVIVAL BEGINS.—And as no church has any surer indication of decline than a declining prayer meeting, so nothing marks the approach of a revival so unerringly as the place of prayer. A revival begins there generally. The deserted seats are filled, and so are the deserted hearts. Those who could not leave their business manage to close up their shops or their warerooms to hasten to the attractive spot. Absent Thomas is on hand punctually. There is a magnet in the prayer room, and it draws. Those who come have something to say, both to each other and the prayer reading God. The gift of tongues has descended. The timid grow bold to ask; the slow of speech become eloquent, the frozen souls melt into penitence; conversions multiply; old wounds and quarrels heal up; and the pastor rejoices to see a latent power of faith and activity developed that he had hardly dreamed of. The church is kindled to its farthest extremity, and all from the central penetrating heat of the prayer gathering.—[Rev. T. L. Cuyler.

A GOOD story is told at the expense of two brothers in Whately who owned a dog and had had his life threatened because he wasn't licensed. The other day when the constable called to kill the animal, one of the wives on her own responsibility paid for a license, while at the same time her husband was paying for one at the town clerk's office. The best of the joke, however, came out at night, when the other brother came home with the intelligence that he had killed the dog. A double license, didn't save him.

THE Radical organ, in New Orleans, asks whether the negro hasn't sense. He has all the five senses. He sees, hears, feels, tastes, and *smells*.

Correspondence of the "Democrat."
SANTA CRUZ, Feb. 12, 1868.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT: Upon my last letter scarcely a ray of cheerfulness pervaded the surroundings, and hence a dull letter. Soon after, however, the elements subsided into the most friendly bearing, and the genial sunshine upon the already advanced and luxuriant carpeting of emerald green upon the broad plains and undulating table lands of beautiful Santa Cruz county, lifting the then gloom and forcing a cheerful aspect, pervading hill and dale, hamlet, village, and city. Here, as in your county, one week of sunshine renders traveling good, and less than half that time the soil is in good condition for the plow, and the industrious farmers have gone to work and are daily turning over hundreds of acres of rich loom, and sowing it down to wheat, oats, and barley, which, with the amount of rain already fallen, renders highly probable an abundant harvest. Having just finished a tour through the agricultural districts, I can speak from personal observation and knowledge, and say that a happier people I have not seen since my pleasant tour of your rich county, where I witnessed more genuine contentment, and peace of mind, and happy consciousness of inate wealth, inherent in the soil, than at any time or at any point upon the Pacific slope. It is indeed most pleasant to witness the rapid and happy transition of a large portion of our enterprising population from the life of a miner to the more sure avocation of cultivating the soil. In years past, a few days of sunshine at this season of the year, would serve to unnerve every young man and most of the old for the enjoyments of home and home comforts, and hence a trip to the mines—only to return perhaps in the Fall without a dollar—but I have yet to hear the first man speak of going to the mines; all are happy and contented to stay at home and grow surely rich and independent, as is the inevitable result of well-directed labor upon the rich soil of this or any other portion of our entire State. It is soul-stirring to see the once stalwart miner, but now happy husbandman, go forth to his work these bright mornings, whistling or humming the popular airs of the day, with scarcely a care upon the mind, with happy consciousness of peace and plenty for his little family growing up around him, surrounded with the elements of the highest civilizations. Schools on the latest and most improved plan are being established wherever there are people, and where only a few years ago roamed the wild beasts of the forest, and the roaming Mexicana with his all "in a nut shell," or rather in his *aparajos* and at the end of his *reatta*, but now civilization has taken its place and happy homes are established, and soon wealth will be the rule and not the exception throughout the agricultural districts of every portion of our loved land.

While every energy in this vicinity is lending to the all-absorbing demands upon the farmer, now in this most opportune seed-time, all nature seems to be alive to the opening up of new beauties in the floral kingdom—than which Santa Cruz has no superior. The almond and peach trees are in full bloom, and, indeed, nearly all the fruit trees are coming on a pace towards that interesting period—scarcely less than the mellow harvest—when the balmy air is wont to waft the fragrance of the fruit and flowers, which but mingle their sweetness with that of the ornamental shrubbery of the door-yard, serving to intensify as well as beautify, combining the elements inducing the happy medium inspiring the poet who sings of "Spring time." W.

MARK TWAIN'S TURKISH LUNCH.—I never want another. The cooking apparatus was in a little room near the bazaar, and it was all open to the street. The cook was dirty and so was the table, and it had no cloth on it. The fellow took a mass of sausage meat and coated it around a wire and laid it on a charcoal fire to cook. When it was done he laid it aside, and a dog walked in and nipped it. He smelt it first, and probably recognized the remains of an old friend. The cook took it away from him and laid it before us. Brown said, "I pass." He plays euchre sometimes; and we all passed in turn. Then the cook baked a broad, flat wheaten cake, greased it well with sausage and started to bring it to us. It dropped in the dirt, and he picked it up and polished it on the seat of his breeches, and laid it before us. Brown said, "I pass." We all passed and called for a new deal. He put some eggs in a frying pan, and stood pensively prying slabs of meat from between his teeth with a fork used to turn the eggs with, and brought them along. Brown said, "I pass." All followed suit. We did not know what to do, so we ordered a new supply of sausage. He got out his wire, apportioned out a sufficient amount of sausage meat, spit on his hands and fell to work. This time, with one accord, we all passed out. We paid and left. That is all I learned about Turkish lunch. Turkish lunch is good, no doubt, but it has its weak points.

THE BENEFIT OF ADVERTISING.—A man living in the outskirts of Springfield Mass., found the snow drifts so deep in front of his dwelling that he concluded his neighbors should break a path for him. He printed an advertisement offering his house for a mere song. The plan worked like a charm. From immediately after breakfast until late at night, and on the next day also, a stream of hungry speculators, on foot and in sleighs and carriages, poured down the blockaded street to secure the great bargain. Of course they were all just a little too late, and the street was smooth and hard as a plank floor, and all for half a dollar.

Race Between a Fast Horse and a Fasting Hog.

Some years ago a race was run at the Hague, in Holland, which, for its novelty, excited more than ordinary interest. It was between a fast trotting horse in harness and a full grown hog; single heat, distance six English miles, for a wager of one thousand guilders.

The circumstances provoking this unique trial of speed were as follows: At a sporting club at the Hague, a young member expatiated upon the beauty, symmetry and extraordinary speed of a trotting horse he had that day purchased, expressing an eager desire to get up a match to prove the superior qualities of his horse. A gentleman engaged in a hand of cards, but whose attention had been attracted by the ardent and impassioned remarks of the speaker, quietly remarked: "Come, sir, don't be bragging so much about the swiftness of your horse, I have a hog which, for a trifling wager, I would not hesitate to run against him." Peals of laughter greeted this strange proposal, to which, when partially subsided, the owner of Grunty quietly interposed. "Well, gentlemen, I now challenge to run my hog, Nero, against that gentleman's fast trotting horse in harness, one straight heat, six English miles, for 1000 guilders a side." "Done! done!" was the eager response of many voices; "provided," the challenger resumed, "that the horse carry two persons, and that fourteen days be allowed me for training my animal." "Agreed! agreed!" responded all around; for the joke was deemed too good and too novel to give it the go by.

Preliminaries being satisfactorily arranged and the stakes deposited, it was agreed that the match should come off that day fortnight at 11 o'clock A. M., precisely; and the beautiful avenue leading from the Prague to the sea shore at Scheveningen was selected as the course. The news of this extraordinary match for a trial of speed between a fast trotting horse and a full grown porker spread like wild fire, and caused the most intense excitement, not alone in sporting circles, but among the people, generally, all eager to see the fun. The day was anxiously looked for, and the training of Nero began.

On the first day poor Nero was starved; strict orders having been given by his owner that no one should feed him, himself alone attending to the matter. On the second day Nero was pretty sharp set, when punctually at 11 o'clock, his master made his appearance. A rope was securely fastened to one of his hind trotters, and his master drove him with many a kick and forcible persuasion, all the way over the course to Scheveningen, where he fed him upon a scanty meal of two herrings which Nero ravenously devoured; after which he had to trot it back to the Hague. It may be proper here to remark that the hog prefers fish to any other kind of food.

On the third day Nero felt perfectly ravenous, but he had to bide his time, and his master had to resort to the strictest hog discipline to start him off, when, at 11 o'clock he presented himself to drive him over the course. After a liberal and energetic application of the booted foot, and a little loud and angry discussion between the two parties, they arrived at their journeys end, where Nero was regaled with three herrings, being one extra, which he dispatched voraciously in double quick time, looking for more, but in vain. He was then, with much coaxing and kicking, persuaded to resume the return trip homeward, which was safely accomplished, although not without considerable opposition, accompanied by vigorous squealing and determined grunting on the part of Nero.

On the fourth day, punctually at 11 o'clock, when his master presented himself, Nero seemed to understand, somewhat, the object of his calling; he walked off, not only without compulsion, but with considerable alacrity, at a good round pace, to get to his journey's end, where his master regaled him not alone with his coveted dinner of three herrings, but as a reward for his tractability and good conduct, with one herring extra, which Nero devoured with incredible velocity as soon as they came within reach of his grinders.

On the fifth day Nero was fully up to the game, and his master experienced considerable difficulty to keep up with him. At Scheveningen the usual allowance—now of four herrings, was placed at his disposal, and disposed of by him in short metre

On the days following, and up to the time of the race, his master had no further difficulty with Nero, but to keep up with him, Nero invariably taking the lead, although in the return trips the same difficulties recurred. A vigorous application of boots was in such cases the only convincing argument with Nero, who could never see the point nor comprehend the necessity of this back track movement, and ever obstroperously squealed or grunted his objections, deeming this extra exercise probably superfluous to his health, as he had never shown any signs of either dyspepsia or indigestion. But be that as it may, Nero had to submit to strict discipline, his master intendicg to thus train him up to fame and renown.

On the ninth day Nero had become perfectly trained, and having grown extremely thin upon his scanty meals, he now ran like a race horse—a veritable Eclipse, invariably distancing his master, who followed him with a fast trotting horse in harness. Both exercise and spare diet were, however, strictly adhered to up to the day preceding the one on which the race was to come off. On that, the thirteenth day as on the first day, poor Nero was again starved. At the usual hour of eleven his master appeared, but Nero was doomed to disappointment—no trot, no herring that day. With eager eye and impatient grunt he signified his desire to be released from his pen; but, alas! it was not to be; he had to submit to a day of fasting and prayer, or, at least, prepare for the race.

On the fourteenth day both horse and hog appeared at the starting post, eager for the race. It was a beautiful day, and the road was lined the entire distance, on both sides, with anxious and delighted spectators eager to see the sport. Punctually at 11 o'clock, at the tap of the drum, off they started, amidst the shouts and hurrahs of the multitude. The first two miles were closely contested. It was, emphatically, a neck and neck race, but Nero, light as a feather, and having in his mind's eye, probably, his delectable meal, now fairly flew over the course, gradually leaving the horse behind, keeping the lead the entire distance. Amidst shouts and hurrahs, the waving of handkerchiefs and the wildest excitement, he reached the ending post, beating the horse by a half mile, and winning the race triumphantly.

For this extraordinary performance Nero was rewarded with a pailful of herrings, which, having feasted upon to his heart's content, he waddled back to Hague in the care of his master, "the admired of all admirers." His master, pocketing the purse of one thousand guilders, generously spent one hundred guilders for Nero's portrait, which is now preserved in the sportsman's club at the Hague.

THE DEATH OF ADAM.—Nine hundred and thirty years old was Adam when he felt in his bones the sentence of the Judge, "Thou shalt surely die." To Eve, who sorrowed greatly, he said: "Let all my sons come around me that I may behold and bless them." And they came, as their father had bidden, and stood around him, many hundreds in number, and wept and prayed for his life.

"Who of you," said Adam, "will go to the holy hill? Perhaps he may obtain mercy in my behalf, and bring me fruit from the tree of life."

All his sons offered to go; but Seth, the most pious of them, was appointed by his father to accomplish this errand.

His head strewn with ashes, Seth hastened and staid not till he stood at the gates of Paradise. There he prayed, saying: "Let Adam find mercy in thy sight; O, All Merciful! send my father of the tree of life." Suddenly a Messenger of God, a cherub, stood before him, holding in his hand, instead of the fruit, a three-leaved twig, and he said, mildly: "Take this unto thy father for his last consolation; eternal life is not for him on on this earth. Hasten, for his hour is come."

Swift as an angel of consolation, Seth hastened and prostrated himself, and said: "No fruit from the tree of life do I bring thee, O, my father! but this branch, which the angel gave to me for thy consolation." The dying man took the bough, and was glad. He smelled thereon the odors of Paradise, and his soul was lifted up. "My children," said he, "eternal life dwells not for us on this earth; I am dying, and ye must follow; but on this shrub I scent the odors of a higher world, the fragrance of a purer Paradise." Then his eyes were glazed, and his spirit departed from him.

The sons of Adam buried their father, and mourned for him thirty days. But Seth wept not. He planted the twig on his father's grave, near the place of his head, and called it the tree of the resurrection from the dead. The branch became a spreading treee, and all the children of Adam were comforted under it, because therewith came the promise of revival from the sleep of death; and it descended to their children's children, and was seen in David's garden until his misled son began to doubt of his immortality; then the tree withered, but shoots thereof were multiplied in many nations.

At length, on a stem of this tree, the teacher of immortality resigned his hallowed life; and, behold! the fragrant hopes of resurrections are thence spread abroad among all the nations of the earth.

PRAISE OF CALIFORNIA.—The New York Times of January 24th, says: "There is a wonderful mixture of people in California, producing that condition of things which Agassiz considers so very detrimental to the posterity produced from it. There are Sandwich Islanders intermarying with Irish; Yankees with Malays: Mexicans with Digger Indians, and Spaniards with Laplanders and Chinese. Those harum-scarum edifiers of a sovereign State seem to have an idea that they all belong to the same genus or family, and so fraternize without troubling themselves about the philosophy of their doings. At any rate, California will flourish. She is now considered the first wheat growing State of the Union, and has more quicksilver in her veins than all the other States put together. The mines of that metal lately opened in the Chapman Valley and Pope Valley give promise of a vast addition to her wealth."

STEALING FOR A LIVELIHOOD.—The Richmond Enquirer says: "If the declaration of a negro delegate to the Convention is entitled to credit, a *per diem* of eight dollars has saved the delegates from the crime of petty larceny. "If," said the negro, "*you do not pay the negro a fair price for his services you force him to steal* and make himself a laughing stock;" and the Convention made haste to remove the temptation to crime from Caffee's path. But if he had been driven by four dollars a day to robbing hen roosts and market stalls in the city, we question whether it would have been the "laughing" matter which the black delegate imagined. The doctrine that all men steal who are not well paid is an alarming one, and it is probable that an ordinance will be adopted authorizing raids upon hog pens and sheep folds by all who are not satisfied with their wages.

SOME time ago the Rev. Mr. Spurgeon preached a sermon on the text, "And Mary wept." In the midst of a stream of eloquence that drew tears from many of those present, in describing the character of the tears shed by Mary over the feet of Jesus, he broke suddenly off, and turning to his congregation he exclaimed: "The tears that Mary shed were not such tears as many of you pour out when you come to this altar. They came from her heart; they were tears of blood, and not the poor stuff that you present as an offering to an offended God." Then leaning over the pulpit, and looking earnestly in the sea of upturned faces, he exclaimed: "There are some of you for whose tears I would not give a farthing a quart."

GOV. HAMILTON, known as "Jack Hamilton," in a late speech declared the reconstruction acts of Congress to be "the will of the conquerers." Who, or what has the Rump ever conquered? One of its leading members was caned a few years ago, and he went yelping all over Europe about it, for a whole year afterwards. Such cowardly rascals would not conquer a sheep, unless they could hire other folks to do the fighting.—New York Day Book.

THE motto of a Minnesota weekly paper: "My country—may she always be right—but right or wrong, my country. Terms, two dollars per year.

YOLO COUNTY DEMOCRAT.

SATURDAY, : : : FEBRUARY 22, 1868.

CONDITION OF SOUTH CAROLINA.—Daily accounts from all parts of the South present a sad picture of suffering, want and humiliation, which can but awaken a feeling of sympathy in the minds of all men who do not yield a blind obedience to the heartless policy of the Radical party. By permission of E. H. Baker, of this place, we publish the following extract of a letter received by him from a relative in Marion District, South Carolinia. The writer, once surrounded by wealth and the enjoyments of life, has been stripped of all his property, and while bravely enduring his own misfortunes, is animated with a desire for the freedom of the people from the shackles of tyranny and the future welfare of the country. It is a libel on humanity and boasted national pride that these petitions are unheeded :

"I have evil forebodings for the future of our country ; it occupies much of my thoughts. I am fearful (all the whites are) of an insurrection, or an attempt at such a thing. A large number of blacks are thrown out of employment. Many large able-bodied men are working for $40 and $60 a year ; the cause of this is, there is nothing to feed them with, and not because their work is not needed. Robbery and murder seem to be the order of the day. There are now nearly thirty prisoners confined in this district, (all blacks, except one or two) ; they made an attempt to break jail last week, and came very near getting out ; several were wounded before they would desist. The Sheriff, since then, has had to keep a guard of from twenty to fifty men. I am ordered to assist to-morrow and to-morrow night. These prisoners seem to be desperate ; they defy the guard, and dare them to shoot. Their crimes are murder, arson, robbery, etc., and they know that if the law is enforced they will hang. I have seen enough bloodshed, and would prefer to be a Quaker henceforth, but if a war of races comes, of course I will be drawn into it. I think if the Radicals could realize what we have suffered, they would desist from their course of legislation ; there must be some humane men among them ; if so, they certainly ought to cry out 'enough.' They seem determined to ruin the country and establish a despotism, which will certainly be the result of their present policy, if followed up."

IS IT TRUE?—The following extract from the Washington correspondent of the Sunday Mercury, dated January 16th, places the character of the future standard-bearer of Radicalism in rather an unenviable light :

There is one reputation which has suffered very severely during the past week. There can be no sort of dispute but that General Grant has been in collusion with the Radicals ; that he gave up the War Office to Stanton after distinctly pledging himself to the President that he would not do so ; and that he has acted in a manner so treacherous and so unsoldier-like, as to compel his friends to account for it and excuse him by reference to his known proclivity for strong drink. They say that on the Saturday upon which he agreed to see the President and surrender his office as Secretary of War he was drunk ; and there, it may be remarked, in passing, that while the press of the country was silent upon this unfortunate phase of General Grant's career, there is no doubt at all but that he is a victim to an inordinate love of strong drink. He is what is known as a periodical drunkard. He will remain sober sometimes for two months, and will then go on a "spree." The phrase which so often occurs in the telegraphs that "General Grant has left the War Office and gone to Annapolis" simply means that General Grant has gone home and got drunk. A revelation will yet be made with regard to General Grant's habits which will astonish the country. And beyond all this, he is bewitched with the idea of the Presidency, and hence his collusion with the Radicals to insult the President, to try to get him out of the way. I am half inclined to believe that in this matter of reconstruction Grant is really honest ; that he really sees his way clear to reconstruction under the Congressional schemes, and does not see his way clear by the President's method. His hopes for the Presidency also dazzle him somewhat. He thinks that he will have a better chance if the Southern States are restored by the Congressional scheme.

THIS YEAR'S ECLIPSE.—There will be three eclipses this year, two of the sun and a total eclipse of the Democratic party on the 3d of November.—[Chico Courant.

The eclipse of the sun will occasion no alarm except in the minds of superstitious, bigoted fanatics whose consciences are exercised about the present phase of political affairs. If the Democratic party should be eclipsed, however, by the black cloud of Radicalism, the public, in expectation of a plague to follow, will witness the event with dread and be compelled to hold their noses, for, by authority of Thad. Stevens, Radicalism has been pronounced dead matter.

INDIANA POLITICS.—Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks, U. S. Senator, is the Democratic nominee for Governor in Indiana, and preparations are being made for a thorough canvass. The young men of the State have formed a Democratic State Committee, the object of which is to aid and assist the Democracy of the State in a thorough organization, also in the circulation of Democratic newspapers and documents, and perform such other labor as may be required to advance the interests of the party. The Democrats are sanguine of carrying the State.

LOOKS LIKE BUSINESS.—General Frisbee, the Assemblyman from Solano, has introduced a bill granting certain additional privileges along the Vallejo water front to the California Pacific Railroad Company, it being the successor of the Vallejo and Marysville Company; and also granting it the right to construct and maintain a bridge across the Sacramento river at or near the city of Sacramento, and another at Knight's Landing. That road will be constructed by somebody.—[Bee.

MEMORIAL.—We received a copy of the Memorial to Congress in relation to Chinese immigration, introduced by Hon. W. W. Pendegast in the State Legislature. We believe the arguments of which it consists are unanswerable, and will publish the document in full next week.

The Character of the Man.

It has been asserted that in times past the office of Justice of the Peace was endowed with more honor than that with which the Chief Magistracy of the Government is at present considered. If this be true, the American people have suffered a fall from their high estate and have become criminally negligent of the great trust reposed in them. In the clamor of incompetent, dishonest political tricksters for office, the great lesson of self-sacrificing patriotism, modesty, integrity and ability which marked the career of the statesmen of the past, have been forgotten by the dominant party, and men are talked of for the Presidency without regard to their reputation for morality, honor and qualification, as though the whole ambition of man should be exerted in behalf of policy and strategy in establishing and retaining party power at the expense of constitutional liberty and the welfare of the whole country. In striking contrast with such motives of selfishness are the words of General Washington, addressed in a letter to an old companion in arms, after he had been called by the unanimous voice of the electoral college to the "highest office in the gift of the American people." The following is an extract of his letter to General Knox, on that occasion :

My movements to the chair of government will be accompanied by feelings not unlike those of a culprit who is going to his place of execution, so unwilling am I, in the evening of a life nearly consumed in public cares, to quit a peaceful abode for an ocean of difficulties, without that competency of political skill, abilities and inclination which are necessary to manage the helm. I am sensible that I am embarking the voice of the people, and a good name of my own, on this voyage ; but what returns will be made for them, Heaven alone can foretell. Integrity and firmness are all I can promise. These, be the voyage long or short, shall never forsake me, although I may be deserted by all men ; for of the consolations which are to be derived from these, under any circumstances, the world cannot deprive me.

It is a humiliating fact that such evidences of modest worth and a reliance on strict integrity as a qualification of those placed in authority, are no longer universally adopted as a rule in the exercise of the great privilege of choice at the ballot-box. While we believe it is unjust and illiberal to make improper strictures on the character of a man, or support unfounded charges of his incapacity because he comes before the people as a candidate for a high office, it is clearly the duty of every patriot to investigate the moral standing and acquirements of those who demand their votes for whatever offices are in the gift of the people. Serious charges touching his qualifications, as well as personal character, have been made against General Grant, who is now prominently before the people as the proposed candidate of the Radical party. If, after careful investigation, these charges should be proven true, where is the fair minded man who is identified with that misguided party that can support such a candidate without first yielding up a desire for the prosperity of his country? Aside from the pernicious effects of the political views which Grant is said to have adopted, we believe there is a total want, in the summing up of his character, of those exalted attributes which should mark the career of one who aspires to honorable position. Whether other charges be true or false, the simple fact that the question of veracity which recently arose between himself and the President, in regard to matters pertaining to the War Department, has been decided in a manner damaging to Grant's character, is sufficient to consign him to the shades of private life.

THAD STEVENS AND THE PARTY.—Mr. Stevens' choler seems to have gotten the best of him when, upon the defeat of his impeachment resolution in the Reconstruction Committee, he announced the death of the Republican party. Mr. Stevens is an ardent lover of the right, a bitter hater of injustice and shame—with all the power and all the weakness of a thorough going Radical, as he is by his very nature. To his intense contempt for everything which, to him, seems to savor of mere expediency must be attributed this outbreak.

There can be no doubt that the President has fairly laid himself open to impeachment, by his attempt to induce a high officer of the Government to defy the law ; yet, admitting this, and admiting that the President is capable of doing a great deal of harm in his present position, it is no wonder that cool men shrink from the difficulties, delays and dangers of impeachment trials upon the verge of a Presidential election. Mr. Stevens' strictures upon the course of General Grant, place the General in a peculiar, but by no means a disadvantageous, position. On the one side he is denounced by the President, for betraying and covertly working against him ; on the other side he is denounced by Mr. Stevens, for preventing impeachment and keeping the President in power.

Nevertheless, in his idea, that to yield to Conservatism would be the death of the Republican party, Mr. Stevens is right, as he has been right many times before, when his advice was discarded as that of an impracticable enthusiast. There is but one course for Congress—to push on, without yielding an inch. Any other course will most certainly destroy the party and plunge the country into difficulties and dangers of which no man can see the end.—[S. F. Times.

The above conveys the idea that the writer, in disposing of the differences existing between Uncle Thad. and General Grant is making the attempt to "carry water on both shoulders." We concur in the opinion that the General's position is *peculiar*, and have no doubt that there will be a little peculiarity in the position of the whole Radical party next November.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL.—J. W. Simonton, who is probably pretty well posted in such matters, writes to the San Francisco Bulletin that a majority of the Supreme Court are certain to decide against the constitutionality of the reconstruction laws, and that the President will then proceed to break things generally.

NEWS SUMMARY.

Mrs. Thomas Hood was found dead in her house at Grass Valley, on the 13th instant, cause of death unknown....The trial of A. M. Swaney, of Mariposa, has been set for May 6th....A. L. Langton and Ellen Flynn, spiritualists, were pronounced insane and sent to Stockton from San Francisco recently....Stephen Gilmore, of San Francisco, has sued H. Mathews for pulling his nose, damages claimed, $50,000....The "Golden City" on her last trip, brought 851 passengers to California....A man named Red Pete was run over and instantly killed on the Almeda Railroad on the 14th instant....A large number of quartz miners are prospecting the hills in Placer county....The Capital Reporter recommends Governor Haight for the Presidency....Arthur Porter was killed at Centerville, on Saturday last, by falling beneath the wheels of his wagon....George Smiley was caved on and killed, near Iowa Hill, on the 13th instant....A bill has been introduced in the Assembly to form a society for preventing cruelty to animals....The Webb sisters are playing to crowded houses in Sacramento....The American theater, in San Francisco, was destroyed by fire on Sunday last....V. E. Young and James Phillips were sent to the Insane Asylum, from Santa Clara, on Mondty last....D. T. Raymond, an old resident of San Francisco, committed suicide on last Saturday....Eight deaths occured in Sacramento last week....During the past ten years California has imported 3,000 firkins of butter per month....A straw-berry patch, of 130 acres, is cultivated in Almeda county....California has produced this year 34,000,000 gallons of wine ....Flint, Bixley & Co., of Monterey county, own 75,000 sheep....Hop culture is receiving considerable attention in this State....A pear, weighing three pounds, is reported to have grown on a yearling tree in Placer county....J. Roach killed David Forbes at Vallejo last Monday, and was discharged from custody, the jury having rendered a verdict of justfiable homicide....Great preparations are being made to celebrate Washington's birth-day in San Francisco....Another insane man named James Mitchell has been confined in the station house at Sacramento ....John P. Haynes has been appointed District Judge of the eighth Judicial District, *vice* Wm. R. Turner, resigned

UNENVIABLE POSITION.—The postion of General Grant, just now, is not one to be envied. In order to secure the Radical nomination for President he resorted to a dirty manouver to keep Stanton in the War Department. He succeeded, but at a cost which would shame any one not utterly lost to shame. The testimony of every member of the Cabinet is that he "went back on his word"—in plainer words, *lied* to President Johnson, and deceived him in regard to the course he should take if the Senate refused to accede to the President's wishes in reference to Stanton's removal. Heretofore we have held a high opinion of Grant's honesty and veracity. We have seen enough to convince us of our error. We know of no one, now, better fitted to represent the first position on the Radical Presidential ticket than General Grant. He has shown himself unworthy the confiddenc of high-mided, honorable men—he has shown himself a fit candidate for his party—a fit tool to do their dirty work.—[Napa Reporter

FOR ALL SORTS.—Elder Knapp publishes a card to correct the impression that he came to California to labor for the Baptist denomination exclusively. He desires the co-operation of all Christians of all sects.

New Advertisements.

Take Notice.—The individual who took the second volume of "Hittell's Digest" from my office, is requested to return the same immediately, and save cost.
f22-1w H. G. BURNETT.

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County Official Paper.

TOWN AND COUNTY MATTERS.

WOODLAND DEMOCRATIC CLUB.—This club, having completed its permanent organization, is now in a prosperous condition, and bids fair to do good work in the Democratic vineyard. Since our last issue it has increased in membership from forty to seventy-five, and its proceedings have been marked by a unanimity of good feeling and patriotic enthusiasm. At the meeting on Saturday evening last, the following resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting were offered by E. H. Baker, and passed by a unanimous vote:

Resolved, That the Democracy of Yolo county feel it to be the highest duty of a good citizen to obey the just laws of the State of California, and of the United States, based upon the Constitution.

Resolved, That we do solemnly declare that some of the acts of Congress, known as the Reconstruction Acts, for ten of our sister States, are unjust and oppressive upon our kindred and countrymen, and ought to be condemned by all just and honorable men throughout the whole country.

Resolved, That we call upon Democrats and conservative men, of every political party, to unite with us in the next Presidential election, to secure the choice of a man for that high position, who has been tried and known to be true to the Constitution, and in favor of equal rights in all the States.

Resolved, That we do not believe that Congress has the right, at this time, with ten States unrepresented, to interfere with the Executive and Judicial Departments of the general Government, and we enter our solemn protest against all legislation that has in its provisions the promotion of the negro to the degradation of the white man.

At the meeting on Thursday night the club adopted a Constitution and By-Laws, and elected the following persons as permanent officers of the club for the ensuing term of three months: William Minis, President; E. H. Baker, and Jacob Levison, Vice Presidents; Q. V. Day, Secretary; Ed. Bynum, Treasurer; Joseph Heath, Sergeant-at-Arms. The regular meetings of the club were appointed for Thursday evenings of each week.

SUICIDE.—We regret to learn that J. W. Inness, one of the firm of G. J. Overshiner & Co., of this place, committed suicide at Sacramento last week. The following account of the affair we copy from the Record of the 17th instant: "On Saturday morning last it was noised about the streets that John W. Inness, book keeper for Hedenberg & Co., had committed suicide. Subsequent investigation proved that the sad rumor was true—he was dead. Mr. Inness was a genial man among his acquaintances and respected by all who knew him, either as a business man or in his social relations. One habit, however, held possession of him—over indulgence in strong drink, and whenever he drank reason left its throne. He would have his sprees, and the result in this case as in many others—suicide."

BELLIGERENT.—On Sunday last, some noisy disturbers of the peace who had been imbibing freely of "fire-water," attracted quite a crowd on Main street, and for a considerable time there appeared to be a general row impending. One or two knock-downs did occur, to the delight of the "roughs" in attendance, and utter disgust of good citizens who are petitioning the Legislature not to change the Sunday law unless to render its provisions more effective. The law seemed, however, to be a "dead letter" last Sunday, and the ring-leaders of the belligerent party, in demonstrating their favor of re*pealing*, apparently had everything their own way. No complaints were filed, and no arrests were made, but we are assured, from the sentiment prevailing in this community, that such disgraceful scenes will no longer be tolerated.

ANNIVERSARY.—The approaching anniversary of the institution of Odd Fellowship in America, will, we learn, be appropriately observed by Woodland Lodge. As the anniversary (April 26th) falls on Sunday this year, the exercises will be purely of a literary or religious character. Charles N. Fox, G. M. of the R. W. G. L. of California, has issued a proclamation, in which it is recommended "that the brethren assemble at their respective Lodge rooms at a convenient hour, and, in a body, attend some place of public worship, giving thanks to the Giver of all Good, for his manifold blessings toward us as an Order, and praying a continuance thereof for evermore." There was, perhaps, never a time when Odd Fellowship was more prosperous than it is at present, and, believing it to have been founded for the benefit of mankind, we wish the Order God speed in its good work.

REMAINS.—The remains of a human being were accidentally discovered on the ranch of R. B. Blowers, about one mile south-east from Woodland, yesterday morning. The body, it appears, had been buried near the surface of the ground, under a fence which the owner had occasion to remove, and hence the discovery. As no investigation by the proper officer has yet been reported, we are unable to give the particulars. [Since writing the above, we learn that the remains were deposited in the place where they were found by a young medical student about a year ago.]

RUNAWAY.—On Thursday, two spirited horses attached to a light spring wagon, in front of Fleishman & Kaufman's store, started on a run, regardless of expenses and the driver's exertions to bring them to a halt. After running a short distance the wagon collided with an awning, carrying away its supporters, and finally ending its career under the shade of a large oak, which the horses attempted to pass by going one on each side. The resulting damages were a broken tongue and a frightened wagon-master.

ACCOMMODATING HIMSELF TO CIRCUMSTANCES.—A farmer who resides on the border of the wide belt of tule land, in this county, when asked a few days since if he had finished planting, answered in the negative, and stated that he was still extending his operations as fast as his land was uncovered by the falling waters. We think if he keeps on seeding and the water keeps on receeding, his energy will be rewarded by a large crop.

PEANUTS.—Although the crop of last year was generally a failure, (says the Reporter), a small lot of peanuts raised on the Yolo bank of the Sacramento river, about a mile below Washington, consisting of one hundred and twenty sacks, were shipped to San Francisco yesterday on the steamer Capital. How the frequenters of the pit of the "Old Bowery" would walk into that consignment!

CARICATURE.—Some enterprising genius has drawn a comical representation of a pugilistic encounter which took place on Main street last Sunday. The picture may be seen at the Post Office. It has been admired by young lovers of the curious, and has given rise to the question: Have we a Jump among us?

RAIN.—On Wednesday night quite a shower of rain fell, and was received with welcome by Yolo farmers, who have nearly all finished seeding. A warm rain could not have come more opportunely. There is every prospect now for an abundant crop.

THE WEATHER.—The unusually cold snap experienced in this section has been effectually superseded by a more moderate state of the atmosphere and the demand for fuel has materially lessened. It is comfortable without fire.

STAGE LINE.—The line of stages running from Woodland to Sacramento will, in future be under the management of Day & Buckley; Mr. Day having purchased the interest of A. W. Tucker, in the stock and business.

NEW FIRM.—Dr. A. Sprague has purchased one-half interest in Day's Stable, on Main street. The business will hereafter be conducted under the name and firm of Day & Sprague.

BRING IT BACK.—The District Attorney gives notice that he desires the person who "borrowed" a copy of "Hittell's Digest," to return the same.

REWARD.—A reward is offered for a gold buckle which was dropped near the Post Office in this place, on Wednesday last.

NEW STAGE LINE.—We learn that a line of stages will be started, in a few days, on the route from Woodland to Suisun.

True Words Eloquently Spoken.

We make the following extracts from the speech of D. W. Voorhies, lately delivered before the Democratic State Convention of Indiana:

TAXATION.

"In the midst of these darkening days, when the laborer goes about the streets in quest of bread, and grinding is low, and the skeleton want looks in at the doors and windows of many an honest household, you are taxed by Congress for the support of a standing army beyond what any other people endures beneath the sun.

"The people of the United States are paying over five hundred millions of annual revenue. More than one half of that most enormous amount is swallowed up by the Congressional policy of reconstruction. If the farmer or mechanic pay twenty dollars to the tax gatherer, ten of it goes as a tribute to a vast military government, which exists in plain, open and confessed violation of the Constitution. If your property is advertised on the trees at cross roads, and on the doors of public houses for delinquent and unpaid taxes, remember that they would not have been half so heavy, and you might easily have paid them if the standing army had been abolished and the expense of governing the Southern States left where it belongs, with the people of those States.

CONDITION OF THE SOUTH.

"And the generous and growing farms, those plantations of more than oriental magnificence, from which all this startling wealth was obtained, and which have been so much derided by the desciples of New England, what was their value? They were worth over one thousand four hundred millions of dollars, while all the real estate of a similar character in New England was appraised at four hundred and seventy-five millions.

"Where now is this mighty wealth of the South? Where is her corn, her cotton, and her cattle? Why do her inexhaustible acres lie barren and unworked? Why do her gigantic resources invite none of the capital of the world? Why does business enterprise turn away from this natural paradise of trade? Why does the emigrant, in search of a home, go to colder, harder and poorer regions? There, you can look and behold the reasons, for yourselves. The Radical Congress has killed the life, the hope and the prosperity of the most fruitful portion of the Republic.

"Once it poured into the lap of a fostering and protecting government a stream of treasure as deep and strong as the current of its own Mississippi. Now it hangs like a paralyzed limb, a helpless incumbrance, a poor pensioner and burden upon the patience and bounty of the rest of the body. Its fields are smitten with an unnatural sterility. Every production has withered and died, as if some vast upas tree had cast its shadow over all. A fatal and desolating blight is 'upon the land, upon the mountains, and upon the corn, and upon the new wine, and upon the oil, and upon that which the ground bringeth forth, and upon men, and upon cattle, and upon the labor of the hands.' In her ancient glory and strength she could meet one-half the taxation which now darkens the face of the land. She could take from your shoulder one-half the load that now bends you to the earth. The South, in a natural condition of prosperity—the child of protection instead of oppression—an object of love, and not of hate, spoliation and vengeance on the part of the Government, could pay two hundred and fifty millions a year, as her share of the public revenue.

"Under the present murderous policy, however, toward her, it costs two hundred and fifty millions a year to govern, crush and destroy her—making a difference of five hundred millions, an amount almost equal to the entire expense of the Government. The Radical policy has not only set fire to and consumed one-half of the granaries, the stacks and harvest fields of the United States, but it likewise taxes what is left to keep a standing army over the ghastly and smouldering ruins it has made.

"But I may be told that the destruction of slavery is the cause of the destruction of so much wealth; that the figures which I have produced from the census of 1860 were based upon slave labor. At that time the South contained a white population of 4,604,000. Its black population numbered 3.896,000. There that population, trained to labor, remains to-day. The ravages of war and the results of emancipation have been made up, or nearly so, by the law of natural increase. The statesmanship then of the country finds a vast laboring population in possession of the most fertile and productive region of the earth, and by its policy, turns that region into a barren desert and a howling wilderness. The rich lands are all there. The brawny and stalwart labor is there, and actual want is there. But the miserable and incendiary politician of the North is also there; the infamous Union League, with which to seduce the negro to his ruin, is there; a vast and appalling military despotism, created and used by a political party for purposes of party abomination, is there; the Freedmen's Bureau, that guarantee out of your pockets that the negro may live without work, is there, with its mighty clan of pernicious, poisonous emissaries; and the darkness, reptiles, locusts and plagues were not more fatal to Egypt than are these gigantic evils to that ruined land. We hear the dreadful cry of actual starvation coming up at this moment from a country richer far than the delta of the Nile. A loan of thirty millions, to be paid by you, is in contemplation by the officers of the Freedmen's Bureau at Washington, with which to maintain a people who will not work or let others work in the garden spot of creation. Is this the banquet to which you were invited by the abolition of slavery? Is this the feast of good things to which you were bidden by the abolition emissaries?

RADICAL PURPOSES.

"Thus Radical reconstruction proceeds, and it is the open and avowed purpose of Congress to admit these States thus in the hands and under the control of the negroes before this session closes. The great crime is pressed now each day and hour with fierce desperation. And who so blind as not to see the odious purposes. A Presidential election is at hand, and the first fruits of this accursed conspiracy are to be seventy electoral votes deposited for the Radical candidate by the hands of the negroes. The negroes of Georgia, in their dense barbarity, are to out vote the freemen of Indiana in the choice of a Chief Magistrate. The negro on the levees of the Mississippi is to drown the voice of the intelligent farmer of the North. I speak advisedly.

"The Radical leaders, since the late elections, expect to carry but a few of the Northern States. They despair of controlling any longer the white vote of the country. They seek no longer to govern this great Republic by the white man's influence. They yield all that to the Democratic party, and denounce a white man's party as an intolerable offense. But with seventy negro electoral votes, and to them added the votes of Tennessee and Missouri, both bastard offsprings of the bayonet, they are preparing to rob the people of their most sacred rights, and openly defy the legally expressed public will. The act of reconstruction is unconstitutional, if there is a Constitution in the land; it is a fraud on the purposes and objects of the war, if that word has not lost all its meaning; it is upheld by perjury and duress, if there be such crime; and yet we are expected to quietly yield to its claim, that the negro shall make the next President."

ELECTION TICKETS.—Mr. Bird, of El Dorado, introduced an important amendment to the general election law yesterday. It provides that election tickets shall, in future, be uniform in size, shape and color. We like this idea, as it is calculated to protect men in the free exercise of the elective franchise. It will enable voters to cast their ballots without being marked or "spotted" as to how they voted. During the past five or six years it has been a common thing for persons to stand at election precincts, scanning every man's ballot, and subsequently reporting to headquarters—to the "loyal" leagues and proscriptive committees, how he cast his vote. Loss of employment, personal abuse, and the most bitter persecution, have resulted in many cases. Thousands have been forced by this system of espionage to vote against what they believed to be right and just, and large numbers were thus deterred from going to the polls and exercising the right of suffrage. Mr. Bird's amendment will do much to secure poor men in their rights and protect them from petty tyranny and proscription.—[Reporter, 18th instant.

A MAN set his son to studying law, because he said he was such a tricky little rascal, and he wanted to humor his chief talent.

WOODLAND WEEKLY MARKET PRICE LIST.

Compiled and corrected weekly, expressly for the DEMOCRAT, by Fleishman & Kaufman, Main street.

COFFEE—	
Old Government Java, ₱ lb	27½@
Costa Rica and Rio, ₱ lb	23 @24½
Fresh ground, ₱ lb	40 @45
CANDLES—	
Grant's best, ₱ lb	25 @27
Schmidt's, ₱ lb	25 @27
Kelley's, ₱ lb	20 @25
FISH—	
Cod, California dried, ₱ lb	12½@14
Mackerel, No. 1, ₱ kit	4 00@4 25
Herring, Dutch, ₱ doz	1 50@
FLOUR AND MEAL—	
Woodland Mills, ₱ bbl	8 00
Corn Meal, ₱ lb	3@ 3¼
Oat Meal, ₱ lb	6@ 7½
Buckwheat Flour, ₱ lb	6@ 7½
Hominy, ₱ lb	7@ 7½
FRUITS AND PRESERVES—	
Apples, Oregon, dried, ₱ lb	12½@15
Peaches, California, ₱ lb	11½@12½
Prunes, German, dried, ₱ lb	22½@25
Raspberries, fresh, ₱ can	62½
Jelleys and Jams, ₱ can	62½
Sardines, qr and hf bxs, ₱ doz	2 50@3 75
Oysters, McMurry's, 2-lb cans	3 75@4 00
" fresh Baltimore	3 25
" spiced	3 50@4 00
Honey, domestic, ₱ can	50
SYRUPS—	
S. F. Heavy Golden No. 1, ₱ gal	85 @87½
Boston No. 1, ₱ gal	75 @80
OILS AND PAINTS—	
Kerosene, No. 1, ₱ gal	70 @75
Lard, pure, ₱ gal	2 00@2 25
Neat's-foot, ₱ gal	1 62½@1 75
Machine, ₱ gal	1 37½@1 50
Boiled, ₱ gal	1 62½@1 75
Castor, ₱ gal	2 00@2 50
Polar, ₱ gal	1 20@1 25
Turpentine, ₱ gal	1 20@1 25
Lead, white, Atlantic, ₱ lb	16 @18¾
" " Metropolitan, ₱ lb	12½@15
" red, extra, ₱ lb	20 @25
" vermilion, ₱ lb	37½
Black paints, ₱ lb	37½
PROVISIONS—	
Hams, Oregon, choice, ₱ lb	22 @
Bacon, clear, ₱ lb	18 @
Lard, ₱ lb	17 @18
Butter, choice dairy, ₱ lb	50
Cheese, California, ₱ lb	18 @20
Eggs, ₱ doz	45 @
SUGAR—	
S. F. Powdered, ₱ lb	20 @25
" Crushed No. 1, ₱ lb	15½@16
" Granulated, ₱ lb	14@14½
" Coffee, [C] ₱ lb	12¾@13
Orleans, ₱ lb	12 @12½
Sandwich Island, No. 1, ₱ lb	12½@13
Sandwich Island No. 2, ₱ lb	10 @
TEAS—	
Comet, ₱ lb	1 25@1 50
Green, superior, ₱ lb	1 25@1 50
Japan, ₱ lb	1 00@1 25
Gunpowder and Young Hyson ₱ lb	87½@
Canton, black, ₱ lb	70 @75
WINES AND LIQUORS—	
Cognac, fine to choice, ₱ gal	3 50@9 00
Gin, Holland, ₱ gal	3 50@4 00
Whisky, Bourbon, ₱ gal	3 50@4 00
Fine Old Port, ₱ gal	4 00
Sherry, Harmony, ₱ gal	3 75@4 00
French Claret, ₱ doz. bot	4 50@6 00
SOAP—	
Castile, ₱ lb	20 @25
Chemical Olive, ₱ 18 lb box	1 62
Detersive, ₱ 20 lb box	2 00
VEGETABLES—	
Potatoes, Pinkeye, new, ₱ lb	2½
Onions, ₱ lb	3
Cabbage, per lb	3 @

DR. HUFELAND'S

CELEBRATED

SWISS STOMACH BITTERS!

TRY IT!	The best Purifier of the Blood! A Pleasant Tonic!
TRY IT!	Unsurpassed for acting surely but gently on the secretions of the kidneys, bowels, stomach and liver!
TRY IT!	For sale at all wholesale and retail liquor, drug and grocery stores.

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CLOTHING, Hats, Boots and Shoes, Blankets, etc., at the store of ARONSON & DRYFUS.

CHOICE **Family Groceries,** Crockery and Hardware, for sale by ARONSON & DRYFUS.

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n30-3m

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Clothing,	**Hats, Caps,**
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Groceries,	**Tobacco,**
Hardware,	**Cigars, etc.,**

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SEWING MACHINES,

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They Stitch, Hem, Fell, Cord, Bind, Tuck, Quilt, Gather, Braid, and Embroider. No other machine Embroiders, as well as Sews perfectly.

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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Supervisors of Yolo county, until the 9th day of March, 1868, 2 o'clock P. M., for the construction of a Ditch in Swamp Land District No. 18, commencing at Station 20, of 3d parallel of survey shown on the map of the Sink of Putah Creek, and running to a point near Station 100, of the 5th parallel of survey. Said work to be let in sections Nos. 1, 2 and 3. Said Ditch to be made in accordance with plan and specifications on file in the office of the County Clerk of Yolo county, and paid for by Swamp Land District No. 18.

G. W. BELL, President Board Supervisors, Yolo county.

Woodland, Feb. 8, 1868. f8-4w

STOP THAT COUGHING.

Some of you can't, and we pity you. You have tried every remedy but the one destined, by its intrinsic merit, to supersede all similar preparations. It is not surprising you should be reluctant to try something else after the many experiments you have made of trashy compounds foisted on the public as a certain cure, but

Newell's Pulmonary Syrup

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Trust no other, howe'er pleasant—
None can do what this has done;
Try it—always keep it present—
Use the "Martha Washington."

It is used by all and is acknowlekged to be superior to any other preparation in market.
It keeps the hair soft and glossy.
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It prevents the hair falling out.
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It makes old heads look young, and, in fact it will do all expected of a good, genuine Hair Restorer.

Twenty thousand heads remind us
What a noble test it's stood;
Millions more shall come behind us,
With their tresses all renewed.

Do not be humbugged by buying any other preparation. Try it, by all means try it and you will never regret it.

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Graefenberg Uterine Catholicon if faithfully used according to directions will cure every case of Diabetes, and greatly mitigate the troublesome effects caused by a relaxation of the outlet of the bladder, and for female diseases is unequalled. The Catholicon uniformly cures Prolapsus Uteri, Whites and irregularities of the monthly turns, suppression, incontinence of Urine, Bloating and dropsical Swellings, and all diseases of Pregnancy. The specific action of this medicine is immediate and certain upon the uterine and abdominal muscles and ligaments, restoring them to as healthy a state as those of childhood and youth, so that patients who have used the *Graefenberg Company's Uterine Catholicon* cannot sufficiently express their gratitude for the relief afforded. Redington & Co., Agents, 416 and 418 Front street, San Francisco. n23-4m

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YOLO COUNTY DEMOCRAT.

One Did—'Tother Didn't.

I knew two men as much alike
As e'er you saw two stumps,
And no phrenologist could find
A difference in their bumps.

One takes the papers, and his life
Is happier than a king's
His children all can read and write,
And talk of men and things.

The other took no paper, and
While strolling through the wood
A tree fell down and broke his crown
And killed him—"very good."

Had he been reading of the news,
At home like neighbor Jim,
I'll bet a cent that accident
Would not have happened him.

Why don't you take the papers?
Nor from the printer sneak,
Because you borrow from his boy
A paper every week.

For he who takes the papers,
And pays his bills when due,
Can live in peace with God and man,
And with the printer too.

DETERMINED.—A little five year old boy was seated at the table eating dinner. A small cut of beef-steak was given him, and taking it up in his hands he resolutely endeavored to get a bite off the end of it. It being pretty tough—as beef-steak sometimes happens to be—he pulled and jerked and grunted at the task a little more than was consistent with modern ideas of polite dining. After a few earnest struggles all in vain, he turned to his mother with a look of mingled energy and despair, and said, through his vexation and tears, "Mamma, me's going to have a piece off this meat or pull my mout out!"

DO YOU?—Last Summer an agriculturist "down East" required several reapers. A number offered themselves, and all were engaged with the exception of one—a small Irishman. "Master, won't you hire me?" inquired the man. "No," said the farmer. "Why not?" "Because you are too little." "Too little!" exclaimed the astonished Irishman; "does your honor reap your grain at the top? What could the farmer do but, roar with laughter and send the little man to join his comrades in the field.

BORROWING.—A green hoosier boy came into the house of a neighbor and said: "Mammy sent me to borry a head of cabbage 'nd a little piece o' meat to bile with it; wants to borry a rag to patch the—a—the—a seat of Bill's breeches; going to have a mighty cutin' 'nd slashin' 't our house to-day; goin' to make Bill a new coat out'n dad's old un, an' dad a new one out'n the old blanket."

CHARLES DICKENS leans to the position that first impressions are usually correct, and also says: "I have known a vast quantity of nonsense talked about bad men not looking you in the face. Don't trust that conventional idea. Dishonesty will stare honesty out of countenance any day in the week, if there is anything to be got by it."

MAY BE.—Kratsalaat's wife discovered her old hen sitting in the back yard and "bust up her nest." Soon after the poor wife came in much excited and said: "My dear Kratsalaat, I took the eggs from 'Browne,' and she has gone and sot onto the old meat-ax." "Let her set," said the billious old fellow, "if she sets on an ax maybe she'll *hatchet*.

A SOUTHERN LADY, who is the wife of a prominent and extreme Radical residing in one of the Northern States, while engaged in plucking the gray hairs out of her husband's moustache, was asked by him, "What are you doing, my dear?" "Only carrying out your own policy, sir; exterminating the whites for the benefit of the blacks."

IT is hardly worth while for the Radicals to talk any more about the confiscation of Southern lands. Those lands are as good or as bad as confiscated already. They sell for a mere song. A nimble nigger in a favorable location can steal enough property over night to buy forty acres of ground early next morning.

SOME time since a gentleman died in the town of X., who, during life, refused to believe in another world. Two or three weeks after his demise, his wife received through a medium, a communication, which read as follows: "Dear, wife, I now believe. Please send me my thin clothes."

GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN knows a family of sisters who cured their brothers from swearing by saying damn every time their brothers did. At the table Susie would say to George, "pass me that damn butter," and Minnie would ask Elsey for "that damn buckwheat cake."

FORNEY tells what he would proclaim if he "possessed the consolidated voices of twenty-five millions of people." No doubt he would proclaim pretty much what he proclaims now, with the consolidated impudence of more than that number of folks.

EDEN.—A little boy in New Bedford, in giving an account to his brother of the garden of Eden, said: "The Lord made a gardener and put him in the garden to take care of it; and to see that nobody hurt anything or posted bills on the trees."

OVERWORKED.—A Hartford man in the delirium tremens, jumped from a third story window the other day. When picked up he remarked that his back felt sore, adding, "If I wasn't dead, I should think I overworked myself."

THE Montana Legislature has exempted the following classes from serving as jurors: Ministers, lawyers, physicians, officers of the law, *editors, idiots, insane persons*, and regularly enrolled firemen.

A YOUNG LADY who went out with a rather timid young beau one evening, complacently remarked to him that she never went out but she got chaps on her lips. The young man took the hint and chapped.

IT costs us more to be miserable than would make us perfectly happy; how cheap and easy is the service of virtue, and how dear do we pay for our vices.

TWO women in Chicago got into a fight because one of them called the other a "pedestrian." The indignant woman declared that she had always been respectable.

GROSS people are to be severely scolded, but we see no reason why one who is a grocer may not be cultivated in a friendly way.

A NEW YORK paper raises the puerile query whether bakers on a strike can be considered loafers. Information kneaded.

WHO ever heard of a woman with pretty ankles and whole stockings complain of wet side-walks or muddy crossings?

SOME fishermen use cotton for bait; so do some women.

The State Legislature.

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Maclay Charles (D)	Santa Clara
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Morrill, D. L. (D)	Calaveras
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Perley, J. E. (U)	San Joaquin
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Pearce, George (D)	Sonoma
Pratt, L. E. (U)	Sierra
Roberts, E. W. (U)	Nevada
Rose, A. H. (D)	Amador and Alpine
Robinson, Henry (U)	Alameda
Saunders, John H. (D)	San Francisco
Shaw, W. J. (D)	San Francisco
Tweed, Charles A. (U)	Placer
Tubbs, A. L. (U)	San Francisco
Teegarden, E. (U)	Yuba and Sutter
Wolcott, Oliver (U)	Tuol'ne, Mono, Inyo
Wadsworth, E. (U)	Siskiyou

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Ables, Thomas J. [U]	Marin
Ayer, Isaac (U)	Calaveras
Beaver, T. S. (U)	Calaveras
Brown, Thomas A. [U.]	Contra Costa
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Buckbee, John R. (U)	Plumas and Lassen
Biggs, Marion (D)	Sacramento
Battelle, T. J. (U)	Sierra
Broderson, B. S. (D)	San Francisco
Brown, J. C. (D)	Tulare and Kern
Bachelder, A. J. (U)	Yuba
Church, A. M. (U)	Alameda
Crigler, John C. (D)	Napa and Lake
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Cureton, William H. (D)	Mendocino
Coggins, Paschal (U)	Sacramento
Comte, A. Jr. (D)	Sacramento
Caldwell, William (D)	Sonoma
Canavan, Matthew (D)	San Francisco
Connelly, David W. (D)	San Francisco
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Days, J. M. (U)	Nevada
Dornin, G. D. (U)	Nevada
Downer, J. W. (U)	Sierra
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Meagher, M. [D]	Tuolumne, Mono, Inyo
Newell, Hugh B. [D]	El Dorado
Newsom, J. W. [D]	Merced, Stanislaus
Ord, W. M. [D]	Butte
Oliver, Warner [U]	San Joaquin
O'Malley, J. J. [D]	San Francisco
Payne, George M. [D]	Amador, Alpine
Pardee, George [U]	Santa Cruz
Papy, Jasper J. [D]	San Francisco
Rollins, H. G. [U]	Nevada
Ryland, C. T. [D]	Santa Clara
Rector, T. H. [D]	Klamath, Del Norte
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Spillman, B. R. [D]	Sutter
Steele, Elijah [D]	Siskiyou
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Union Assemblymen	28
Democratic Assemblymen	52
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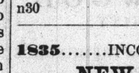 Horses, Buggies, Carriages and Saddle Animals to let. Horses boarded by the day, week, or month. The patronage of the public is solicited. Q. V. DAY,
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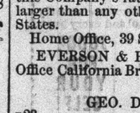 I have on hand, **Cast Cast-Steel, Peoria,** and **Boston Clipper Plows.** Two second-hand Gang-Plows for sale, cheap. Cast cast-steel Plow-shares, Plow-wheels and Harrows constantly on hand.

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